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To: Microsoft ATR
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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

I am writing this message to comment on the proposed final judgement in the United States vs. Microsoft antitrust case.

The proposed final judgement does not serve the public interest. In particular, the proposed final judgement does not include an provision allowing users to replace Microsoft.NET with competing middleware. Since Microsoft.NET is central to to Microsoft's new development efforts, the failure to include such a provision renders the proposed judgement ineffective.

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